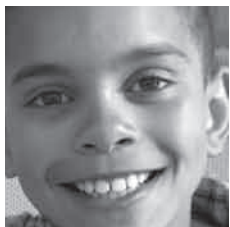




## HPD and CMC charities bring miles of smiles to local youth



**By Dave Schafer**

Smiles.

Houston police officers don't see many during a shift through the city's impoverished areas. But last December, they put smiles on the faces of some underprivileged youths when they donated 160 bicycles to local charities.

And smiles are contagious.

"You get a smile from giving, and you get a smile from receiving," said Deloyd Parker, executive director of SHAPE Community Center. "Everybody smiles."

SHAPE, which stands for Self-Help for African People through Education, was one of several local organizations to receive the bike donations. The CMC agency focuses on strengthening families and communities through various programs,

including an after-school program, parenting-support program, Pan-African Cultural Festival, and a food and nutrition program

On average, HPD has about 1,500 bikes taking up more than 18,000 square feet on the second floor of its property room, said Ron Cobb, property and supplies division manager. The bikes are held because they're part of an ongoing investigation or they've been abandoned.

After a judge declares a bike abandoned during a property hearing, Finance and Administration's Property Disposal Management Office sells the salvageable bikes at auction. But with the holidays approaching, Police Chief Harold Hurtt wanted to give the bikes back to those who needed them.

So he asked members of the department's Blue Santa program

to find homes for the bikes. Hurtt wanted the bikes divided up among many charities, so they could help children in a variety of areas and situations.

"We were in a position where we could contribute the bikes to organizations that do great work for those with special needs," Hurtt said.

### Good guy smiles

HPD's Blue Santa volunteers see a lot of smiles as they hand out presents to children at Christmas. Last year, Blue Santa, a CMC agency, raised about \$115,000 for the holidays. Members used that money to buy presents for about 12,000 disadvantaged children, according to Officer Jack Hanagriff, a 22-year HPD veteran and member

See **SMILES** on page 4.

## An important word about getting the CMC "On Track"



*CMC is racing down the road to an even more successful future. And city employees will continue to help those in our community who haven't been as fortunate as we've been. I'm proud of your continued generosity.*

Greetings:

Our efforts to improve the quality of life in Houston never end. The Combined Municipal Campaign is another opportunity. Through CMC, city employees have a chance to give back to the community that provides us so with much in our professional and private lives.

This year, the CMC is getting on track.

The city's charitable giving arm is lining up with the calendar year so you can more easily keep track of when your donations are actually paid. Also, CMC agencies will receive their money sooner.

Previously, deductions came out of your paycheck from May through April. Donations pledged during this year's campaign will come out of your paycheck from May through December 2006, lasting eight months instead of 12.

For those who want to be 1 percenters, you'll still donate 1 percent of each paycheck. It won't equal 1 percent of your 2006 salary, but it will make a big difference in the lives of those you help.

This short transition campaign will fine-tune the deduction cycle so that in 2007, and thereafter, deductions will be January through December.

This new cycle will make it easier when you fill out your tax forms, and it will help the agencies keep track of each year's campaign totals.

With these changes, the CMC is racing down the road to an even more successful future. And city employees will continue to help those in our community who haven't been as fortunate as we've been. I'm proud of your continued generosity.

Sincerely,

Bill White  
Mayor

## Event Calendar



### Runway Race for Life 5K Run/Walk/Roll

7 a.m., Sept. 10, 2005

Bush Intercontinental Airport

Employee entry fee - \$15

Shawn O'Neal (281) 230-3080

[race.houstonairportsystem.org/main\\_page\\_fs.htm](http://race.houstonairportsystem.org/main_page_fs.htm)

In its fifth year, this unique event is expected to draw thousands of runners, walkers, volunteers and spectators. The run will conclude with an award party including food, drinks and music. All funds will be donated to the American Diabetes Association.

### Online Auction

8 a.m., Sept. 19 to 1 p.m., Sept. 23  
[www.houstonhumanresources.org](http://www.houstonhumanresources.org),  
click on CMC online auction  
Julie Keeton (713) 837-9384

Get your Christmas shopping done early at this annual event. A variety of items will be auctioned including theater tickets, jewelry, one-of-a-kind items and autographed memorabilia. Bids must be placed online for this real-time auction, so there's no need to leave the comfort of your office.

### 9th Annual Golf Tournament

7 a.m., Oct. 29

Memorial Park Golf Course

\$75 per player for early registration

\$100 per player after Sept. 16

Oct. 7, entry deadline

Delier Porter (713) 845-1374

Team up and tee off with your co-workers in this 4-person scramble hosted by the Parks & Recreation Department. Price includes greens fee, cart, breakfast, lunch, trophies and prizes. Open to all city of Houston employees and guests. Proceeds benefit Texas Cops and Kids.

### Scantrons are Due Oct. 4, 2005

Return to department coordinator.

### Department Events

For department event listings, visit [www.houstonhumanresources.org](http://www.houstonhumanresources.org), click on CMC and then on calendar.



## Tribute Wordsearch



Look for various CMC charities hidden in the puzzle below. Words are listed up, down, backward, forward and diagonally. In addition, there is a bonus word that is not listed to the right. See if you can find it hidden among the charities.



Go to [www.houstontx.gov/hr/cmcpages/tribute06.htm](http://www.houstontx.gov/hr/cmcpages/tribute06.htm) for the answer key.

**AAMA** (Association for the Advancement of Mexican Americans)  
**Beat AIDS**  
**Betterway Youth**  
**Candlelighters**  
**Children at Risk**  
**Gabriels Gift**  
**HSPCA** (Houston Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals)  
**HRC** (Human Rights Campaign)  
**Kickstart**  
**Last Alarm Club**  
**March of Dimes**  
**Mexican Medical**  
**MFAH** (Museum of Fine Arts Houston)  
**NAMI Texas** (National Alliance for the Mentally Ill)  
**NRA Foundation** (National Rifle Association)  
**SEARCH** (Service of the Emergency Aid Resource Center for the Homeless)  
**SHAPE** (Self-Help for African Peoples through Education)  
**SIRE** (Self Improvement through Riding Excellence)  
**Shaw University**  
**Sheltering Arms**  
**Spark**  
**Texas CASA** (Court Appointed Special Advocates)  
**The Rose**  
**TSU** (Texas State University)  
**USO** (United Services Organization)  
**World Impact**  
**World Vision**  
**York College**  
**YWCA** (Young Women's Christian Association)  
**Water Fund**

## What your Donations can buy



Donate	Give up	Buy
<b>\$1 per pay period</b>	Bring a drink from home instead of buying one out of the vending machine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A day's worth of meals for 200 children in Sudan (Doctors Without Borders USA)</li> <li>A guardian ad litem for a child living in foster care for a week (Child Advocates)</li> <li>A two-month supply of syringes for a diabetic kidney patient (National Kidney Foundation)</li> </ul>
<b>\$2 per pay period</b>	Fight the urge to buy a lottery scratch off ticket	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A wig or other prosthetic for a woman suffering from cancer (American Cancer Society)</li> <li>An advocate for a family whose hearing-impaired child is being denied an equal education (Hear Me Foundation)</li> <li>A mentoring workshop for 52 children, mentors and parents (Families Under Urban and Social Attack)</li> </ul>
<b>\$5 per pay period</b>	Skip buying dessert and eat fruit instead	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spaying/neutering for five cats (Citizens for Animal Protection)</li> <li>A year's worth of school supplies for an inner-city child (I Have a Dream - Houston)</li> <li>An annual mammogram for an uninsured woman (The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation)</li> <li>All the arts and craft items for one session of camp (The Hole in the Wall Gang Fund)</li> </ul>



Our contribution goals may look a little low this year, but that's because we are getting the CMC "On Track." Contribution goals for 2006 are based on a shortened eight month campaign (See the mayor's message on page 2.)

	Contribution	Participation
Affirmative Action	\$2,850	100%
Aviation	\$29,700	53%
Building Services	\$5,300	55%
City Council	\$3,300	44%
City Secretary	\$750	100%
Controller's Office	\$10,050	100%
Convention & Entertainment	\$4,500	100%
Finance & Administration	\$12,250	40%
Fire	\$19,050	23%
Health & Human Services	\$42,000	40%
Housing	\$6,000	100%
HEC	\$4,750	30%
Human Resources	\$11,000	100%
Information Technology	\$6,350	45%
Legal	\$6,700	40%
Library	\$27,050	50%
Mayor's Office	\$5,300	100%
Municipal Courts Administration	\$6,050	50%
Municipal Courts Judicial	\$5,350	50%
Parks & Recreation	\$16,400	40%
Planning & Development	\$18,150	44%
Police	\$48,200	23%
Public Works & Engineering	\$81,200	67%
Solid Waste Management	\$11,300	43%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$383,550</b>	<b>38%</b>

## SMILES

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the organization's board of directors.

The presents included 700 brand-new bicycles.

About 160 bikes in the property room were declared abandoned and in good enough condition to give to charity, Hanagriff said.

Officers are often seen as bad guys, hauling away fathers or busting a friend, Hanagriff said. So this is a way to give back to the community and remind people, particularly children, of the good deeds of-

ficers do in addition to protecting them.

Many of the abandoned bikes may have been stolen from youths who can't afford a new one, he noted.

"We've got children who have nothing, either because of their economic situation or because every time they get something nice, it gets stolen," Hanagriff said. "And we've got so many of these bikes. They were obviously stolen from the community, so let's give them back to the community."

Christmas is a particularly poignant time to give such gifts. "It's a special time. And some people have to choose between



Want to know how a charity spends its money, but are afraid to ask? Don't be.

Donors care about the community they live in – that's why they participate in the CMC. So it only makes sense that they also want to know how their money will be spent.

Most agencies post financial information for donors on their Web sites. If you don't know the Web address, visit [www.houstonhumanresources.org](http://www.houstonhumanresources.org) and click on Combined Municipal Campaign. A list of federations and agencies is posted with links to their sites.

An informed donor makes smart choices. Below are some Web sites that will help you learn more about giving.

- **Federal Trade Commission:** Provides information on wise giving and how to file a complaint. [www.ftc.gov/charityfraud](http://www.ftc.gov/charityfraud) or call 1-877-FTC-HELP
- **IRS:** Search charitable organizations for tax information. [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov)
- **Charity Watch:** Tips for giving wisely and other helpful hints. [www.charitywatch.org](http://www.charitywatch.org)
- **GuideStar:** Information on more than 1 million nonprofits. Also, important questions to ask yourself if you can't decide which charity you want to support. [www.guidestar.org](http://www.guidestar.org).
- **Charity Navigator:** Evaluates the financial health of America's largest charities. [www.charitynavigator.org](http://www.charitynavigator.org)

putting food on the table and buying a present," he said.

Giving shouldn't just be confined to Christmas, or even the holidays, SHAPE's Parker said.

"We don't put as much focus on the holiday as we do the act," he said. "The idea of giving is universal, and it crosses all religious lines."

## Giving with a smile

City employees have created innumerable unseen smiles among the needy with their donations to CMC agencies. Last year's campaign raised more than



# Making Your Donation



Your department coordinator will give you a Scantron along with this handbook. (See back page for list of coordinators.) When filling out the Scantron, use a pen with blue or black ink and be sure to completely darken the blocks.

**7** If you would like to be acknowledged by the agencies, darken the "Yes" block at the bottom left of the form.

**9** Be sure to sign and date the form. Return to your coordinator with check or money order if needed. Paper clips only, **Do not staple.**

**8** In the box at the bottom right of the form, write the total amount of your pledge. If you chose biweekly deductions, multiply by 16 to get the total amount.

**1** Write your employee number (six digits) in the blank boxes under "Employee Number." If your number is only five digits, insert a zero in the first space on the left. Fill in corresponding number blocks.

**2** Write your department number in the blank boxes under "Dept. Number." Fill in corresponding number blocks.

**3** If you would like to contribute 1 percent of your salary, darken the "Yes" square in the 1% Club box. If you would like to contribute more than 1 percent, darken your choice under "Above and Beyond Club."

**4** Darken the block that corresponds with your payment option.

**5** Write the agency name on the "Name of Agency" line. Write the agency code in the blank boxes under "Agency Code." (See CMC Agency List, pages 6-11.) Fill in corresponding number boxes. If you make a mistake darken the "Void" box.

**6** Write the amount contributed in the blank boxes under "Amount." Fill in the corresponding number blocks. Repeat steps 5-6 for each agency.

The image shows a Scantron form titled "2006 Combined Multi-Agency Contribution Form". It has several sections with numbered callouts:

- 1** Employee Number: A row of six boxes for entering the employee number.
- 2** Dept. Number: A row of two boxes for entering the department number.
- 3** YES. I would like to participate in the 1% club: A checkbox.
- 4** Contribution Type: Radio buttons for "Payroll Deduction - 16 pay periods", "Payroll Deduction - One-time only", "Cash or Money Order made payable to the City of Houston", and "Check or Money Order made payable to the City of Houston".
- 5** Name of Agency: A line for writing the agency name, followed by "Agency Code #:" and a row of six boxes.
- 6** Amount: A row of six boxes for entering the amount, followed by a decimal point and two more boxes.
- 7** Would you like to be acknowledged by the agencies: A checkbox.
- 8** TOTAL AMOUNT PLEDGED: A row of six boxes for entering the total amount.
- 9** Signature: A line for writing the signature.

\$647,000, an increase of nearly \$16,000 from the year before.

That money gives the charities life, Parker said. Then the charities use the money to improve lives. City employees pledged more than \$11,000 in donations to SHAPE during last year's CMC campaign.

"Giving, through CMC or through any campaign, opens up the doors to a whole lot of other things for children and families," Parker said. "It really gives opportunities for others to share. It creates an environment of giving."

"Giving offers hope, and it lets people know that someone out there cares."

## The SHAPE of a smile

Parker acknowledges that these families have bigger problems than the lack of a bicycle. But his organization is dedicated to doing whatever it takes to put a smile on children's faces.

"These are families who are struggling, and who would not have been able to afford that kind of gift, which is something that's common in almost every household," Parker said.

The center gave out a total of 27 donated bikes to needy families last December, he said. The families were selected from

among the hundreds the center works with each year.

If HPD hadn't donated the bikes, there would be fewer children with a smile on their face, Parker said. "There would have been more children having to sit by watching others pass by on something they don't have. It wouldn't be as pleasant a moment for them."

"And it wouldn't be as pleasant a moment for those who give. You give less, you smile less. You receive less, you smile less. It's an interdependent circle."

## Donation Procedures



Donations to the CMC can be made by cash, check, money order, or one-time or biweekly payroll deduction.

One-time payroll deductions will be taken out in May 2006. Because CMC 2006 is a short transitional campaign, biweekly deductions will only run for eight months, or 16 pay periods beginning May 2006 and ending December 2006.

Donations made by cash, check, or money order will be mailed to agencies by December 2006.

As in previous years, the CMC administrative fee is four percent.

## CMC Agency List



Most of the agencies in the CMC are represented by a federation. For example, Houston Can! Academy is represented by Children's Charitable Alliance. The federation names are bolded and found above the alphabetical list of agencies they represent. The agencies listed under Local Charitable Agencies on page 11 do not belong to a federation.



### 1800 America's Best Charities

- 1899 4-H: National 4-H Council
- 1801 Adoptable Children (North American Council)
- 2516 Adoption Exchange
- 1835 Adoptions by Cradle of Hope
- 1802 Adventist Development & Relief Agency International
- 1804 AIDS Programs of the National Minority AIDS Council
- 1805 AIDS Treatment and Research Information - Project Inform
- 1806 Allergy and Asthma Network/Mothers of Asthmatics
- 1878 Alzheimer's Research Foundation, Fisher Center
- 1809 American Humane Association
- 1810 American Nicaraguan Foundation
- 2518 American Tinnitus Association

- 1879 Amigos de las Americas
- 1811 Animal Protection Institute
- 1880 Anxiety Disorders Association of America
- 2519 Armed Forces Veterans Homes Foundation
- 1812 Army Historical Foundation
- 2501 Asian Children's Assistance Limited
- 1813 ASPCA: American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals
- 2536 Assistance Dog Institute
- 2537 Assistance Dog United Campaign
- 1814 Autism Intervention and Treatment Research - Organization for Autism Research
- 1807 Autoimmune Diseases Association
- 2538 Baptist Charities of America
- 2539 Baptist Children's Home Ministries
- 1881 Best Buddies for Children with Mental Retardation
- 2540 Boone and Crockett Club Foundation
- 1816 Brain Tumor Association, American (ABTA)
- 1817 Breast Cancer Foundation, The Susan G. Komen
- 2520 Cancer Coalition, The National
- 2534 Cancer Research Fund VHL Alliance
- 2541 Canine Assistants
- 1818 Canine Companions for Independence
- 2522 Canines for Disabled Kids
- 1820 CASA - Court Appointed Advocates for Abused Children
- 1821 Catholic Legal Immigration Network
- 1822 CHADD (Children & Adults with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder)
- 1882 Challenger Center for Space Science Education
- 1823 Child Family Health International
- 1824 Child Rescue International
- 1826 Children Awaiting Parents
- 1883 Children's Angel Flight
- 1829 Children's Hopes & Dreams - Wish Fulfillment Foundation
- 1830 Children's Medical Ministries
- 2542 Children's Miracle Network
- 2544 Children's Organ Transplant Association
- 1831 Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome (CFIDS) Association of America
- 1832 Concerns of Police Survivors (COPS)
- 2523 Conservation and Protection of Public Lands
- 1833 Coptic Orphans Support Association
- 1834 Cornelia De Lange Syndrome Foundation
- 2543 Correctional Peace Officers Foundation
- 2502 Covenant House
- 1836 Diabetes Action Research and Education Foundation
- 1837 Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Charitable Service Trust
- 1838 Dogs for Deaf and Disabled Americans
- 1885 Dollars for Scholars
- 1886 Educate the Children
- 1839 FACES: The National Craniofacial Association
- 2524 Family Violence and Sexual Assault Institute
- 1840 FARM (Farm Animal Reform Movement)
- 2525 Farm Safety 4 Just Kids
- 1841 Food Allergy and Anaphylaxis Network
- 2526 FRAXA Research Foundation
- 1843 Giving Children Hope
- 1887 Global Hunger Project
- 2545 Great Dads
- 1844 Guide Dogs of America
- 2503 Hearing Foundation
- 1845 Hepatitis Foundation International
- 2546 Herbal Medicine Institute
- 2527 Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities
- 1846 Hispanic Scholarship Fund
- 1847 Holt International Children's Services
- 1848 Hospice Foundation of America
- 1888 India Partners
- 1849 Kidney Cancer Association
- 2547 Lance Armstrong Foundation
- 1889 Leukemia Clinical Research Foundation
- 1890 Lymphoma Research Foundation
- 1891 MAGIC Foundation
- 2548 Marine Corps - Law Enforcement Foundation
- 1853 Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation
- 1854 Medical Education for South African Blacks
- 2514 Mercy Medical Airlift
- 2515 Military Officers Association of America Scholarship Fund
- 2549 National Center for Missing & Exploited Children
- 1828 National Children's Advocacy Center
- 1850 National Council of La Raza
- 2550 National Fatherhood Initiative
- 1857 National FFA Foundation
- 2551 National Foundation for Cancer Research
- 1858 National Foundation for Transplants
- 1866 Obsessive Compulsive Foundation
- 1895 One Child at a Time - Americans for International Aid and Adoption
- 2529 orphanCare International
- 2552 Pancreatic Cancer Action Network
- 2535 Paralyzed Veterans of America Spinal Cord Injury Education and Training Foundation
- 1860 Paralyzed Veterans Of America Spinal Cord Research Foundation (SCRF)
- 2553 Parents of Murdered Children
- 1896 Parkinson's Research Center, Michael Stern Foundation
- 1897 Paws for Independence
- 1861 Paws With A Cause
- 2505 Philippine Children's Fund of America
- 1862 Planned Parenthood Foundation
- 2554 Reach Out and Read
- 2507 Save Babies Through Screening Foundation
- 2555 Skin and Dental Dysfunction Foundation
- 2508 Spay-Neuter Assistance Program (SNAP)
- 1871 Special Olympics

- 1872 Special Operations Warrior Foundation
- 1873 Sunshine Kids Foundation
- 2531 United States Association of Blind Athletes
- 2532 United States Sportsmen's Alliance Foundation
- 1874 Vegan Outreach
- 2510 Water For People
- 2511 WaterPartners International
- 2512 World Hunger Year
- 1877 World Impact



#### 1000 America's Charities

- 1056 "I Have a Dream"® Foundation
- 1002 American Civil Liberties Union Foundation
- 1003 American Foundation for the Blind
- 1005 Amnesty International of the USA
- 1017 Believe In Tomorrow National Children's Foundation
- 1049 Cancer Research for Children (National Childhood Cancer Foundation)
- 1010 Caring for Children Foundation of Texas
- 1011 Catholics United for Life
- 1012 Childhelp USA®
- 1038 Diabetes Research and Wellness Foundation
- 1055 Diabetes Research Institute Foundation, Inc.
- 1015 Father Flanagan's Boys' Home
- 1060 Fund for Animals Inc., The
- 1016 Give Kids The World
- 1041 Hole In The Wall Gang Fund, The
- 1047 Hospice America
- 1019 Human Rights Campaign Foundation
- 1018 The Humane Society of the United States
- 1050 Jane Goodall Institute for Wildlife Research, Education and Conservation, The
- 1021 Make-A-Wish Foundation® of America
- 1022 Marywood
- 1057 Multiple Sclerosis Association of America
- 1024 NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund
- 1025 NAACP Special Contribution Fund
- 1026 NARAL Pro-Choice America Foundation
- 1027 National Black Child Development Institute
- 1061 National Down Syndrome Society
- 1062 National Trust for Historic Preservation in the United States
- 1042 Native American Rights Fund
- 1058 NORD, National Organization for Rare Disorders
- 1052 Orphan Foundation of America
- 1043 PETsMART Charities
- 1036 Population Connection
- 1053 Reading Is Fundamental, Inc. (RIF)
- 1031 Ronald McDonald House Charities®

- 1063 Starlight Starbright Children's Foundation
- 1045 Texas Network of Youth Services
- 1035 Vietnam Veterans of America Foundation
- 1046 VSA arts of Texas



#### 1100 Another Way Texas Shares

- 1101 ADAPT of Texas
- 1102 Advocacy, Inc.
- 1139 American Civil Liberties Union Foundation of Texas
- 1103 American Friends Service Committee
- 1148 Animal Trustees of Austin
- 1104 Austin Free-Net
- 1107 Austin Tenants' Council
- 1108 BEAT AIDS, Inc.
- 1109 Breast Cancer Resource Center
- 1140 Campaigns for People
- 1110 Casa Marianella
- 1111 Center for Public Policy Priorities
- 1112 Community Partnership for the Homeless
- 1141 Disability Assistance of Central Texas
- 1113 Esperanza Center for Social Change
- 1114 Gray Panthers
- 1115 House the Homeless
- 1117 Immigrant & Refugee Rights Project
- 1145 Jane's DUE PROCESS
- 1105 KOOP Radio 91.7FM
- 1146 Lesbian/Gay Rights Lobby of Texas Calkin Fund
- 1149 MacKenzie Foundation
- 1124 NARAL Pro-Choice Texas Foundation
- 1119 People with AIDS Coalition-Houston
- 1121 Project MEND (Medical Equipment Network for the Disabled), Inc.
- 1150 Services For The Elderly, Inc.
- 1123 Sustainable Food Center
- 1125 Texans for Gun Safety
- 1126 Texas AIDS Network
- 1142 Texas Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty
- 1130 Texas Folklife Resources
- 1147 Texas Inmate Families Association (TIFA), Inc.
- 1132 Texas Low Income Housing Information Service
- 1133 Texas Mental Health Consumers
- 1134 Texas Ratepayers' Organization to Save Energy
- 1135 Texas RioGrande Legal Aid, Inc.
- 1136 Texas State REACT Council

- 1138 TX CURE (Citizens United for the Rehabilitation of Errants)
- 1143 Women's Health & Family Planning Association of Texas
- 1144 Writers' League of Texas



#### 1200 Black United Fund of Texas, Inc.

- 1201 Afrikan Center of Well Being
- 1223 Bennett Foundation for Recovering Addicts & Ex-Felons
- 1229 Betterway Youth
- 1230 Buffalo Soldiers National Museum & Heritage Center
- 1205 C.O.T.E.R. (Community of Tomorrow Economic Redevelopment Corp.)
- 1204 Children & Family Institute
- 1225 Community Outreach Partnership
- 1231 Houston Multicultural Independent Film Festival
- 1209 Inner City Action Network (ICAN)
- 1218 Inner City Mothers & Daughters
- 1232 Integrity Plus Maintenance Service
- 1219 Launch Point
- 1208 "Mickey" Leland Library & Museum
- 1226 NIA Cultural Center
- 1224 Phillis Wheatley High School
- 1212 Phoenix Outreach Community Development Corp.
- 1220 Sebah Youth Program
- 1221 Senior Citizens Center
- 1222 Sure Thing ST/2 Youth
- 1228 T&T (Tuesday-Thursday) Ministry
- 1227 Texas Cops & Kids
- 1216 Urban Theater
- 1217 Warriors of Truth – Black Women for a Changing Society



#### 2300 Children's Charitable Alliance of TX

- 2339 Arrow Project of Texas
- 2331 Birthright Humble
- 2302 Boys and Girls Country of Houston
- 2303 Buckner Children and Family Services
- 2304 ChildBuilders
- 2305 Children's Advocacy Centers of Texas

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## Children's Charitable Alliance of TX

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- 2315 Collaborative for Children (formerly Initiatives for Children)
- 2332 Communities in Schools Houston
- 2307 Dare to Dream Children's Foundation
- 2340 Family Outreach Clear Lake/Bay Area
- 2309 Family Outreach of America
- 2341 Family to Family Network
- 2342 Girls Incorporated of Greater Houston
- 2312 Gladney Center
- 2333 Gracewood
- 2313 Healthy Family Initiatives
- 2314 Houston Can Academy
- 2334 I Have a Dream - Houston
- 2316 Kids Sports Network
- 2317 Local Infant Formula for Emergencies
- 2343 Methodist Children's Home
- 2318 Methodist Mission Home
- 2344 Miracle Farm
- 2335 Mother's Milk Bank at Austin
- 2320 Odyssey House Texas
- 2321 Palmer Drug Abuse Program - Houston
- 2322 Prevent Child Abuse Texas
- 2345 Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic (Texas)
- 2324 Ronald McDonald House of San Antonio
- 2323 Ronald McDonald House of Houston
- 2337 Small Steps Nurturing Center
- 2326 Special Olympics Texas
- 2325 St. Jude's Ranch for Children
- 2327 Star Ranch
- 2338 Texas Baptist Children's Home
- 2328 Texas CASA
- 2346 Westview School, The
- 2330 Writers in the Schools



### 1300 Community Health Charities of TX

- 1302 ALS Association, Greater Houston Chapter
- 1303 Alzheimer's Association of Greater Houston
- 1304 AMC Cancer Research Center
- 1305 American Cancer Society, Texas Division
- 1306 American Diabetes Association, Texas Affiliate
- 1309 American Heart Association, Texas Affiliate
- 1311 American Liver Foundation
- 1312 American Lung Association of Texas
- 1315 Arthritis Foundation
- 1320 Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America
- 1321 Cystic Fibrosis Foundation—Gulf Coast Chapter
- 1382 Easter Seal Society

- 1325 Epilepsy Foundation
- 1380 Huntington's Disease Society of America
- 1329 Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation International
- 1330 Leukemia and Lymphoma Society
- 1332 Lupus Foundation of America—Houston Chapter
- 1333 March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation
- 1370 Mental Health Association in Texas
- 1334 Muscular Dystrophy Association
- 1337 NAMI Texas (National Alliance for the Mentally Ill)
- 1343 National Kidney Foundation—Southeast Texas
- 1345 National Multiple Sclerosis Society—Lone Star Chapter
- 1381 National Parkinson Foundation
- 1356 Prevent Blindness Texas
- 1357 Sickle Cell Disease Association of the Texas Gulf Coast
- 1360 SIDS Alliance/First Candle
- 1383 Spina Bifida Association of Texas
- 1359 St. Jude Children's Research Hospital
- 1361 Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children
- 1364 United Cerebral Palsy of Texas



**Earth Share**  
OF TEXAS

### 1400 Earth Share of Texas

- 1401 African Wildlife Foundation
- 1404 American Rivers
- 1405 Audubon Foundation of Texas
- 1406 Austin Parks Foundation
- 1407 Bat Conservation International
- 1408 Bayou Preservation Association
- 1409 Beyond Pesticides/National Coalition Against the Misuse of Pesticides
- 1410 Center for Health, Environment & Justice
- 1412 Center for Maximum Potential Building Systems
- 1471 Children's Environmental Health Institute
- 1413 Citizens' Environmental Coalition Education Fund
- 1414 Clean Water Fund of Texas
- 1415 The Conservation Fund
- 1472 Earth Day Network
- 1420 Ecology Action of Texas
- 1421 Endangered Species Media Project
- 1470 Environmental and Energy Study Institute
- 1423 Environmental Defense
- 1425 Environmental Law Institute
- 1426 Friends of Big Bend National Park
- 1427 Friends of the Earth

- 1479 Hill Country Conservancy
- 1429 Izaak Walton League of America
- 1430 Katy Prairie Conservancy
- 1431 Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center
- 1432 Land Trust Alliance
- 1433 National Audubon Society
- 1434 National Parks Conservation Association
- 1435 National Wildlife Federation
- 1435 Natural Resources Defense Council
- 1437 Nature Conservancy, The
- 1439 The Peregrine Fund
- 1440 Pesticide Action Network North America
- 1441 Protect Lake Travis Association
- 1442 Public Citizen of Texas
- 1443 Public Research Works
- 1444 Rails-to-Trails Conservancy
- 1445 Rainforest Alliance
- 1473 Recycling Alliance of Texas
- 1449 Save Barton Creek Association
- 1474 San Marcos River Foundation
- 1450 Save Our Springs Alliance
- 1475 Scenic America
- 1452 Sierra Club Foundation, The
- 1453 SPARK School Park Program
- 1454 Student Conservation Association
- 1455 Surfrider Foundation
- 1457 Texas Bicycle Coalition Education Fund
- 1476 Texas Discovery Gardens
- 1477 Texas Parks and Wildlife Foundation
- 1459 Texas Solar Energy Society
- 1460 Texas Zoo, The
- 1461 TreeFolks
- 1478 Trust for Public Land Texas Office
- 1463 U.S. PIRG Education Fund
- 1464 Union of Concerned Scientists
- 1465 Westcave Preserve
- 1467 Wildlife Conservation Society
- 1468 Wildlife Rescue and Rehabilitation
- 1469 World Wildlife Fund



### 1500 Global Impact

- 1501 ACCION International
- 1551 Acumen Fund
- 1502 Africa-America Institute
- 1503 African Medical and Research Foundation
- 1504 Africare
- 1505 American Ireland Fund
- 1506 American Jewish World Service
- 1507 American Leprosy Foundation
- 1508 American Near East Refugee Aid (ANERA)

1509 American Refugee Committee  
 1510 AmeriCares Foundation, Inc.  
 1511 CARE  
 1512 Catholic Relief Services  
 1542 Children International  
 1515 Christian Children's Fund  
 1543 Christian Reformed World Relief Committee  
 1544 Church World Service/CROP  
 1516 Doctors Without Borders USA  
 1548 ECHO  
 1517 FINCA International  
 1518 Freedom From Hunger  
 1519 Health Volunteers Overseas, Inc.  
 1520 Heifer International  
 1545 Helen Keller International  
 1521 International Eye Foundation  
 1522 International Orthodox Christian Charities  
 1523 International Relief Teams  
 1524 International Rescue Committee  
 1525 Lutheran World Relief  
 1526 Mercy Corps  
 1527 Near East Foundation  
 1528 Opportunity International  
 1550 Oxfam America  
 1513 Plan USA (formerly Childreach)  
 1531 Planned Parenthood - World Population  
 1546 Population Communications International  
 1532 Project HOPE  
 1533 Rotary Foundation of Rotary International  
 1534 Salvation Army World Service Office  
 1535 Save the Children  
 1547 TechnoServe, Inc.  
 1536 UNICEF, U.S. Fund  
 1537 Unitarian Universalist Service Committee Inc.  
 1538 United Methodist Committee on Relief  
 1539 United Seamen's Service  
 1540 World Relief Corporation  
 1541 World Vision Inc.



Local Independent Charities  
of Texas

#### 1600 Local Independent Charities of TX

1627 AIDS Foundation Houston  
 1628 Angel Flight South Central  
 1629 Arc of Fort Bend County  
 1601 Arc of Greater Houston  
 1630 Arc of Texas  
 1631 Attention Deficit Disorders Association - Southern Region

1603 Breast Cancer Foundation, The Susan G. Komen - Houston Affiliate  
 1632 CanCare of Houston  
 1647 Christian Community Service Center  
 1633 Drug Prevention Resources  
 1648 Goodwill Industries of Houston  
 1608 Greater Houston Athletic Association for the Physically Disabled  
 1649 Guide Dogs of Texas  
 1650 Helping Restore Ability  
 1634 Houston Hospice  
 1642 John P. McGovern Museum of Health and Medical Science  
 1651 Literacy Council of Fort Bend County  
 1635 Lutheran Social Services of the South  
 1652 Methodist Retirement Communities  
 1643 Northwest Assistance Ministries  
 1644 Planned Parenthood of Houston and Southeast Texas  
 1637 Planned Parenthood of North Texas  
 1625 Rose, The  
 1619 Taping for the Blind  
 1640 Tarrant Area Food Bank  
 1641 Texas Association Against Sexual Assault  
 1621 Texas Council on Family Violence  
 1653 Women's Fund for Health Education and Research, The  
 1654 Write-Way Prison Ministries



#### 1700 Neighbor to Nation

1754 Adopt America Network  
 1709 Advanced Cancer Research Center  
 1749 African American Self-Help Foundation  
 1701 AIDS Research Alliance of America  
 1702 Alpha-1 Foundation  
 1755 American Family Association  
 1705 American Foundation for Suicide Prevention  
 1742 Association of Christian Schools (formerly ACSI's Children's Tuition Fund)  
 1756 Awana Clubs International  
 1707 Blessings International  
 1708 Brain Tumor Foundation of America  
 1743 Breast Cancer Research Foundation, The  
 1709 Cancer Immunology Research Foundation  
 1710 Cancer Research Fund of the Damon Runyon-Walter Winchell Foundation  
 1744 Cancer Treatment Research Foundation  
 1711 Children's Cancer Assistance Fund  
 1745 Children's Food Fund/World Emergency Relief

1712 Children's Hunger Relief Fund  
 1750 Christian Broadcasting Network  
 1757 Christian Relief Fund  
 1758 City of Hope  
 1716 Feed The Children  
 1751 Fellowship of Christian Athletes  
 1717 Focus on the Family  
 1746 Foundation Fighting Blindness  
 1718 Glaucoma Research Foundation  
 1720 Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind  
 1724 Lions Clubs International Foundation  
 1752 MAZON: A Jewish Response to Hunger  
 1727 Mercy Ships  
 1728 Mexican Medical  
 1729 Miracle Flights for Kids  
 1730 Mission Aviation Fellowship  
 1759 National Alliance for Autism Research  
 1760 Nazarene Compassionate Ministries, Inc.  
 1732 Officers' Christian Fellowship of the USA  
 1734 Prison Fellowship  
 1735 Samaritan's Purse  
 1736 Society of St. Andrew  
 1761 United Leukodystrophy Foundation, The  
 1739 United States Association for United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees  
 1753 V Foundation, The  
 1740 Voice of the Martyrs, The  
 1741 World Concern (A Division of CRISTA Ministries)



#### 1900 Thurgood Marshall Scholarship Fund

1901 Alabama A&M University  
 1902 Alabama State University  
 1903 Albany State University  
 1904 Alcorn State University  
 1948 Bluefield State College  
 1905 Bowie State University  
 1906 Central State University  
 1949 Charles R. Drew University of Medicine & Science  
 1907 Cheyney University  
 1908 Chicago State University  
 1909 Coppin State University  
 1910 Delaware State University  
 1911 Elizabeth City State University  
 1912 Fayetteville State University

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1913	Florida A&M University
1914	Fort Valley State University
1915	Grambling State University
1950	Harris-Stowe State College
1916	Howard University
1918	Jackson State University
1919	Kentucky State University
1920	Langston University
1921	Lincoln University
1922	Lincoln University
1923	Medgar Evers College
1924	Mississippi Valley State University
1925	Morgan State University
1926	Norfolk State University
1927	North Carolina A&T State University
1928	North Carolina Central University
1930	Prairie View A&M University
1931	Savannah State University
1932	South Carolina State University
1933	Southern University and A&M College
1937	Tennessee State University
1938	Texas Southern University
1940	Tuskegee University
1941	University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff
1942	University of Maryland Eastern Shore
1943	University of the District of Columbia
1945	University of the Virgin Islands
1946	Virginia State University
1951	West Virginia State College
1947	Winston-Salem State University
1952	York College



## 2000 United Negro College Fund

2041	Allen University, NC
2002	Benedict College, SC
2003	Bennett College, NC
2004	Bethune-Cookman College, FL
2005	Clafin University, SC
2006	Clark Atlanta University, GA
2007	Dillard University, LA
2008	Edward Waters College, FL
2009	Fisk University, TN
2010	Florida Memorial, FL
2011	Huston-Tillotson University, TX
2012	Interdenominational Theological Center, GA

2013	Jarvis Christian College, TX
2014	Johnson C. Smith University, NC
2015	Lane College, TN
2016	LeMoyne-Owen College, TN
2017	Livingstone College, NC
2018	Miles College, AL
2019	Morehouse College, GA
2021	Morris College, SC
2022	Oakwood College, AL
2023	Paine College, GA
2024	Paul Quinn College, TX
2025	Philander Smith College, AR
2026	Rust College, MS
2027	Saint Augustine's College, NC
2028	Saint Paul's College, VA
2029	Shaw University, NC
2030	Spelman College, GA
2031	Stillman College, AL
2032	Talladega College, AL
2040	Texas College, TX
2033	Tougaloo College, MS
2034	Tuskegee University, AL
2035	Virginia Union University, VA
2036	Voorhees College, SC
2038	Wilberforce University, OH
2037	Wiley College, TX
2039	Xavier University, LA



## 2100 United Way of the Texas Gulf Coast

2101	Alliance for Multicultural Community Services, The
2102	American Cancer Society, Texas Division
2103	American Red Cross, Greater Houston Area Chapter
2105	Avance, Inc - Houston
2106	Avondale House
2179	Bay Area Council on Drugs & Alcohol
2108	Bay Area Rehabilitation Center
2109	Bay Area Turning Point, Inc.
2111	Baytown Opportunity Center
2112	Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Houston
2113	Boy Scouts of America, Sam Houston Area Council
2114	Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Houston, Inc.
2180	Bridge Over Troubled Waters, The
2116	Career and Recovery Resources, Inc.
2104	Catholic Charities of the Arch-Diocese of Galveston-Houston
2181	Center for Hearing and Speech, The
2118	Center - Serving Persons with Mental Retardation, The

2196	Childcare Council of Greater Houston, Inc.
2122	Chinese Community Center
2123	Colorado Valley Transit, Inc.
2197	Community Family Centers, Inc.
2178	Council on Alcohol and Drugs Houston, The
2126	Crisis Intervention of Houston
2127	CROSSROADS: Community Partnership for Youth, Inc.
2198	Denver Harbor Senior Citizens Center, Inc.
2129	DePelchin Children's Center
2130	Family Services of Greater Houston
2182	FamilyTime Foundation, Inc.
2132	Fifth Ward Enrichment Program
2134	Fort Bend Family Health Center
2183	Fort Bend Regional Council on Substance Abuse, Inc.
2136	Fort Bend Senior Meals on Wheels
2133	Fort Bend Women's Center
2138	Girl Scouts of San Jacinto Council
2139	Girl Scouts of South Texas Council
2137	Good Neighbor Healthcare Center
2141	Houston Area Urban League
2142	Houston Area Women's Center
2169	Houston Speech and Hearing Clinic
2184	Innovative Alternatives, Inc.
2144	Interfaith Ministries of Greater Houston
2145	Jewish Community Center of Houston
2146	Jewish Family Service
2147	Julia C. Hester House, Inc.
2185	Lighthouse of Houston, The
2149	Literacy Advance of Houston
2150	Local Initiatives Support Corporation
2195	Lone Star Legal Aid
2152	Mental Health Association of Greater Houston, Inc.
2153	Montgomery County Women's Center
2154	Montrose Clinic, Inc. The
2155	Montrose Counseling Center, Inc.
2156	Multicultural Education and Counseling through the Arts (MECA)
2157	Neighborhood Centers Inc.
2194	Research & Development Institute
2186	Salvation Army
2160	San Jose Clinic
2161	Santa Maria Hostel, Inc.
2162	SEARCH
2163	Sheltering Arms Senior Services
2164	Sickle Cell Association of Texas Gulf Coast
2165	Spaulding for Children
2166	Star of Hope
2167	Target Hunger
2168	United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Houston
2187	Volunteers of America Texas
2173	Wellsprings, Inc.
2174	Wesley Community Center
2175	Women's Home, The



## Local Charitable Agencies

2201 100 Club, Inc., The  
 2202 AAMA - Association for the Advancement of Mexican Americans  
 2428 Air Force Aid Society  
 2441 Amigos Volunteers in Education and Services, Inc. (AVES)  
 2440 Annie's Cottage for the Young at Heart  
 2422 Army Emergency Relief  
 2445 Asia Houston Network  
 2460 Aspiring Youth of Houston  
 2204 Assist The Officer  
 2206 Bali Cultural Association  
 2207 Bering Omega Community Services  
 2208 Blue Santa Program Inc.  
 2436 Blue Triangle Multi-Cultural Assoc., Inc.  
 2209 Bread of Life, Inc.  
 2279 Candlelighters Childhood Cancer Family Alliance  
 2210 Channel 8/Association for Community Television  
 2211 Child Advocates, Inc.  
 2212 Children At Risk  
 2213 Children's Assessment Center  
 2215 Christian Community Service Center  
 2216 Citizens for Animal Protection  
 2219 Cuidamos - We Care for Kids  
 2419 Daughters of Virtue and Excellence Ministries, Inc. (DOVE Ministries, Inc.)  
 2414 Developments in Literacy (DIL)  
 2457 Dionysus Theatre  
 2223 El Centro de Corazon  
 2224 End Hunger Network  
 2411 Families Under Urban and Social Attack  
 2226 French-Creole Cultural Scholarship Award  
 2280 Friends of Hermann Park  
 2227 Friends of the Houston Public Library  
 2228 Fundamentals Ink, Inc.  
 2451 Furniture Bank, The  
 2416 Gabriel's Gifts Missing Children Organization  
 2435 Good Samaritan Foundation  
 2230 Guide Dogs of Texas  
 2231 Gulf Coast Chapter National Railway Historical Society, Inc.  
 2469 Habitat for Humanity Northwest Harris County  
 2281 HATCH - Houston Area Teen Coalition of Homosexuals  
 2464 Hear Me Foundation  
 2433 HFD Dennis W. Holder Scholarship Fund  
 2233 Hillel Foundation of Greater Houston  
 2297 Holocaust Museum Houston  
 2234 Homes of St. Mark  
 2421 Homeward Bound Prison Ministry  
 2236 Houston Ballet Foundation  
 2237 Houston Buyers Club  
 2238 Houston Center for Independent Living  
 2239 Houston Center for Photography

2430 Houston Chapter of the Ninety-Nines  
 2240 Houston Fire Museum  
 2241 Houston Food Bank  
 2444 Houston Gunners Football Association  
 2242 Houston Humane Society  
 2447 Houston Parks Board, The  
 2243 Houston Police Activities League  
 2456 Houston READ Commission  
 2431 Houston VA Medical Center  
 2232 HSPCA - Houston Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals  
 2283 Intercontinental Airport Interfaith Chapel  
 2410 Interstitial Cystitis Association of America  
 2247 Jewish Federation of Greater Houston  
 2248 Juvenile Diabetes Reasearch Foundation-Houston Gulf Coast Chapter  
 2249 Keep Houston Beautiful  
 2449 Kickstart - Kick Drugs Out of America  
 2437 Kujichagulia, A Christian Girls' Organization  
 2467 La Rosa Family Services  
 2251 Last Alarm Club of Houston  
 2458 Latino Learning Center, Inc.  
 2252 League of Women Voters of Houston  
 2253 Leukemia & Lymphoma Society  
 2429 Lighthouse Center for Community Healing  
 2284 Love Feast Food Pantry  
 2255 M.D. Anderson Cancer Center  
 2256 Macedonia Outreach Center  
 2257 Make Ready, Worker Development Training, Inc.  
 2258 Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Center, Inc.  
 2425 Mary's Little Lamb Daycare Center  
 2453 Medilife of Houston  
 2295 Memorial Hermann Children's Hospital  
 2286 Meningitis Angels & Earth Bound, Inc.  
 2413 Mothers for Clean Air  
 2442 Museum of Fine Arts, Houston  
 2423 Nahum's Nest Residential Group Home  
 2260 National Forum for Black Public Administrators  
 2261 Navidad En El Barrio  
 2424 Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society  
 2250 New Kid-Care  
 2259 NRA Foundation, Inc., The  
 2443 Open Door Mission  
 2446 Operation Reach Community Development, Inc.  
 2438 Organization of Chinese Americans, Inc.  
 2427 Paper Houses Across the Border  
 2265 Planned Parenthood  
 2266 Positive Project  
 2267 Progressive Amateur Boxing Association  
 2412 Resolve It, Inc.  
 2462 Rise School  
 2268 S.H.A.P.E. Community Center  
 2463 Safe Harbour, Inc.

2418 Saint Sophia's Helping Hands  
 2461 Santa Maria Hostel  
 2271 Shriners Hospitals for Children, Burns Hospital Galveston  
 2270 SIRE, Inc. (Self Improvement through Riding Education)  
 2454 St. Agnes  
 2450 St. Joseph Hospital Foundation  
 2455 Strake Jesuit  
 2290 Taking Care of Our Own Foundation, Inc.  
 2466 Talento Bilingue de Houston  
 2439 Technology Opportunity Institute, The (formerly Telecom)  
 2452 Tejano Center for Community Concerns  
 2272 Texas Children's Hospital  
 2292 Texas Equusearch Mounted Search & Recovery Team  
 2298 Texas Marine Mammal Stranding Network  
 2415 USO of Greater Houston, Inc.  
 2465 Volunteer Houston  
 2432 Volunteer Interfaith Caregivers  
 2448 WATER Fund  
 2274 Westview School, Inc., The  
 2275 World Youth Foundation  
 2459 YMCA of Greater Houston  
 2276 YWCA

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